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The present invention generally relates to interactive help ~~utility~~ utilities. More particularly, the present invention relates to a method and system for searching and managing help and wizard utility functionality across a range of computer ~~operator~~ operating systems and computer software applications.

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According to an exemplary embodiment, the wizard database 105 and help file database 110 are specific to a given operating system or a specific computer software application. That is, each operating system has its own wizard/help file database, and each software application has its own wizard/help file database. When a search is performed for wizards/help files for a given operating system, the search is directed to the operating system wizard/help file databases, for example to locate a "user management" wizard. When a search is performed for wizards/help files for a given software application, the search is directed to the application wizard/help file database, for example to locate the "font setting".

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Alternatively, each operating system may have a wizard/help file database that includes wizards and help files for the operating system and for all software applications being operated

by the operating system. Accordingly, when a search is performed, the search may be utilized to ~~can~~ locate a wizard or help file for the ~~operation~~ operating system and/or the software application to locate, for example, "word processor font setting," or "configure printer."

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Likewise, a user of a variety of different software applications may use the functionality of the wizard/help file management module 100 to locate wizards or help files for different computer software applications to obtain assistance. For example, a user may be unfamiliar with the print records functionality of a given database management application. In accordance with an exemplary embodiment of the present invention, the user may use the the wizard/help file management module 100 to locate an appropriate wizard or help file provided by the database management software application to assist the user in printing data records using the database management application.